

We've been activated, NOW WHAT????

Make sure you & your family are OK!!!

The Incident Commander (or Team Leader) formulates and implements an INCIDENT ACTION PLAN based on what is known and who shows up.

Those who are willing & able, respond to the muster point or your Town Center.

CHECK-IN

General briefing from the Incident Commander

1) Teams are organized, and other members are assigned to the other tasks within the organization. Such as:

- Medical Branch
- Equipment set-up (Logistics)
- Communications System (Cellphone, GMRS, Ham Simplex)
- Check-in & record keeping of all activities.
- Planning

2) Teams of 4-6 members are deployed and basically observe and report.

They consist of:

- Team Captain
- Medical
- Scribe (Notes, not Forms)
- Search & Rescue (2)

3) Search & Rescue - See Unit 5 of Basic CERT Training.

- Know your limitations, both as an Individual and as a Team
- Work in pairs
- Never enter an unstable structure
- Document your actions. Damage reports via radio (a picture worth 1,000 words)
- Training will involve "Lifts & Carries"

4) Communications

- The Radios (Have a radio for "Show-And-Tell")
- Used mainly by those outside the Command Post (the various teams & Transport Unit) to report back to Operations and the I/C
- Important to know how to use the radios you have & how to communicate with them.

